

Reden-Purner House
CE-1048
Near Chesapeake City
Private

C. 1870

The Reden-Purner house stands along Route 213 South of Chesapeake City and is typical of the late 19th century 2½ story three bay by one room frame houses with attached kitchen wing. The house has been generally remodeled but retains its basic 19th century form and a few details such as the pointed arch cross gable window.

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INVENTORY FORM FOR STATE HISTORIC SITES SURVEY

File 281

1 NAME

HISTORIC

Reden-Purner House

AND/OR COMMON

2 LOCATION

STREET & NUMBER

Route 213 1 mile north of Cayot's Corner

CITY, TOWN

Chesapeake City

☒ VICINITY OF

CONGRESSIONAL DISTRICT

1

STATE

Maryland

COUNTY

Cecil

3 CLASSIFICATION

CATEGORY

☐ DISTRICT

☒ BUILDING(S)

☐ STRUCTURE

☐ SITE

☐ OBJECT

OWNERSHIP

☐ PUBLIC

☒ PRIVATE

☐ BOTH

PUBLIC ACQUISITION

☐ IN PROCESS

☐ BEING CONSIDERED

STATUS

☒ OCCUPIED

☐ UNOCCUPIED

☐ WORK IN PROGRESS

ACCESSIBLE

☒ YES: RESTRICTED

☐ YES: UNRESTRICTED

☐ NO

PRESENT USE

☐ AGRICULTURE

☐ COMMERCIAL

☐ EDUCATIONAL

☐ ENTERTAINMENT

☐ GOVERNMENT

☐ INDUSTRIAL

☐ MILITARY

☐ MUSEUM

☐ PARK

☒ PRIVATE RESIDENCE

☐ RELIGIOUS

☐ SCIENTIFIC

☐ TRANSPORTATION

☐ OTHER:

4 OWNER OF PROPERTY

NAME

Rodney Purner Jr.

Telephone #: 885-5089

STREET & NUMBER

3095 Augustine Herman Highway

CITY, TOWN

Chesapeake City

☒ VICINITY OF

STATE, zip code

Maryland 21915

5 LOCATION OF LEGAL DESCRIPTION

COURTHOUSE,
REGISTRY OF DEEDS, ETC.

Clerk of the Circuit Court

Liber #: WAS 360

Folio #: 299

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Courthouse

CITY, TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

6 REPRESENTATION IN EXISTING SURVEYS

TITLE

DATE

☐ FEDERAL ☐ STATE ☐ COUNTY ☐ LOCAL

DEPOSITORY FOR
SURVEY RECORDS

CITY, TOWN

STATE

7 DESCRIPTION

CE-1048

CONDITION

☐ EXCELLENT
☒ GOOD
☐ FAIR

☐ DETERIORATED
☐ RUINS
☐ UNEXPOSED

CHECK ONE

☐ UNALTERED
☒ ALTERED

CHECK ONE

☒ ORIGINAL SITE
☐ MOVED DATE _____

DESCRIBE THE PRESENT AND ORIGINAL (IF KNOWN) PHYSICAL APPEARANCE

The Reden-Purner House c. 1870 is a 2½ story three bay by one room I-House with ell kitchen wing. The house is located on Maryland 213 south Chesapeake City, Md. and faces east with a north/south axis.

The front block rests on a full concrete basement that was dug long after the construction of the house. The original foundation was laid with fieldstone. The frame house is covered with asbestos shingle over weatherboard siding. The composition tile roof is steeply pitched with a central cross gable.

The east (main) facade is three bay across with a central entrance and corresponding 2/2 sash windows. The surrounds have a late 19th century molding. The central cross gable is lighted by a pointed 2/2 sash. A single gabled porch covers the central bay. The supports are turned.

The north and south gable ends are basically similar with single 2/2 sash on each floor. The eaves are extended and the soffits sloped on the main facade. A central stuccoed brick stove rises out of the center of the house.

A shorter two story kitchen ell primarily covers the west side and is detailed similarly to the main block. A shed porch is attached to the south side of the wing.

The first floor plan of the front block consists of an enclosed central stair with a room on each side. Late 19th century trim has been generally removed and finishes redone.

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PERIOD		AREAS OF SIGNIFICANCE -- CHECK AND JUSTIFY BELOW			
<input type="checkbox"/> PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> ARCHEOLOGY-PREHISTORIC	<input type="checkbox"/> COMMUNITY PLANNING	<input type="checkbox"/> LANDSCAPE ARCHITECTURE	<input type="checkbox"/> RELIGION	
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		<input type="checkbox"/> INVENTION			

SPECIFIC DATES

BUILDER/ARCHITECT

STATEMENT OF SIGNIFICANCE

H. Reden owned this house in 1877 (Lake, Griffing, and Stevenson). It is one of the hundreds of late 19th century frame I-Houses found throughout the county. This structure has been remodeled but retains its basic 19th century form.

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9 MAJOR BIBLIOGRAPHICAL REFERENCES

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10 GEOGRAPHICAL DATA

ACREAGE OF NOMINATED PROPERTY _____

VERBAL BOUNDARY DESCRIPTION

LIST ALL STATES AND COUNTIES FOR PROPERTIES OVERLAPPING STATE OR COUNTY BOUNDARIES

STATE

COUNTY

STATE

COUNTY

11 FORM PREPARED BY

NAME / TITLE

Paul B. Touart

ORGANIZATION

Cecil County Courthouse

DATE

10/25/81

STREET & NUMBER

Cecil County Committee

TELEPHONE

398-0200

CITY OR TOWN

Elkton

STATE

Maryland

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